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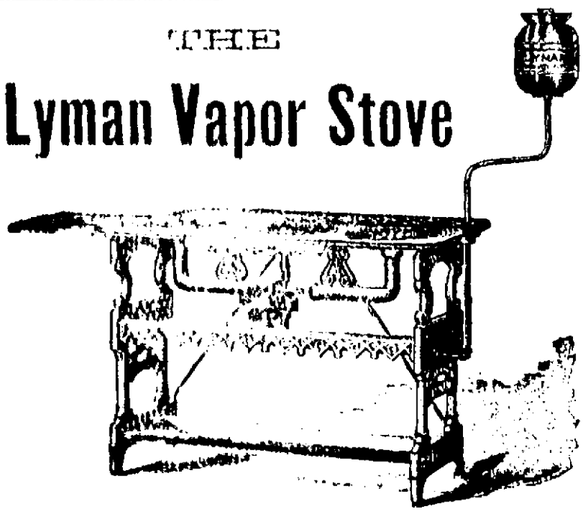

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TUESDAY, July 1st—Grand Opening Day.

10:30 a. m.—Address of welcome, by Dr. Davies, Decatur. Response by Rev. James W. Haney, Pres. N. P. C. M. A.
2:30 p. m.—Prayer and experience meeting, led by Rev. J. P. Dimmitt.
3:30 p. m.—Address by Francis Murphy, the Great Blue Ribbon Reformer.
8:00 p. m.—Addresses by Miss Frances Willard and Francis Murphy.

WEDNESDAY, July 2d—Children's Day

8:30 a. m.—Prayer and consecration meeting, led by Mrs. Mary Woodbridge. The further exercises of this day will be under the direction of the pastors of the various churches of the city of Decatur, who have been appointed a Special Committee for that purpose, and will have the assistance of a corps of excellent speakers.
8:00 p. m.—Addresses by Frances Murphy and others.

THURSDAY, July 3d—Good Templars' Day.

Good Templars and other Temperance organizations from the towns, cities and country around, will be present in Full Regalia.
8:30 a. m.—Prayer and consecration meeting, led by George R. Scott, of New York.
10:30 a. m. to 5:30 p. m.—Addresses by Frank Sibley, G. W. C. T. of Nebraska, Hon. Geo. C. Christian, of Chicago, and others.
8:00 p. m.—Addresses by Mrs. Mary Woodbridge and Mrs. Lucy Simpson.

FRIDAY, July 4th—Independence Day.

[8:30] a. m.—Prayer and consecration meeting, led by Rev. W. H. Boole, of New York.
10:30 a. m.—Reading Now Declaration of Independence, by F. J. Sibley.
11:00 a. m. to 8:00 p. m.—Addresses by General Green Clay Smith, of Ky.; Rev. W. H. Boole, of N. Y.; George R. Scott, of N. Y.; Rev. Harry Wilson, of N. J.; Rev. George Gue, of Ills.; Rev. Con. Heaney, of Ills.; Mrs. Mary Woodbridge, of O.; Mrs. Lucy Simpson, of Mich.; Miss Mary Allen West, of Illinois, and others.

Music by the Goodman and G. A. R. Bands.

SATURDAY, July 5th.

8:30 a. m.—Prayer and experience meeting, led by Rev. W. H. Webster.
10:30 a. m.—Address by Hon. W. W. O'Brien, of Chicago.
2:30 p. m.—Addresses by Rev. W. H. Boole and others.
8:00 p. m.—Gen. Green Clay Smith and others.

SUNDAY, July 6th.

9.30 a. m.—*Praise meeting*, led by Mrs. Mary Woodbridge, of Ohio.
10:30 a. m.—*Sermon by Dr. J. P. Newman*, of New York.
2:30 p. m.—Children's meeting, led by Harry Wilson, of New Jersey.
4:00 p. m.—Sermon by Rev. W. H. Boole, of New York.
8:00 p. m.—Sermon by Gen. Green Clay Smith, of Kentucky.

MONDAY, July 7th—Discussion Day.

Advocates of high license, and opposers of the doctrine of Prohibition are invited to come forward and discuss these questions openly and freely.
8:30 a. m.—Prayer and experience meeting.
10:30 a. m. to 2:30 p. m.—Discussion, Governor Glick, of Kansas, and others have been invited.
8:00 p. m.—Addresses, Richard Haney, D. D., and others.

TUESDAY, July 8th—Education Day.

10:30 a. m.—Subject: "The Liquor Traffic and Its Relation to Education."
2:30 p. m.—Addresses by Selim H. Peabody, LL. D., of Champaign; Edwin C. Hewitt, LL. D., of Normal; Dr. Adams, of Bloomington; Dr. Short, of Jacksonville; Hon. A. J. Smith, of Springfield; Miss Mary Allen West, President of the Women's Christian Temperance Union of Ills., and others.
8:00 p. m.—Addresses by Mrs. Lucy Simpson and others.

WEDNESDAY, July 9th—Workers' Day.

10:30 a. m.—Experience meeting.
2:30 p. m.—Short addresses from workers, led by T. J. Crowder.
8:00 p. m.—Address, subject: "The Use and Value of Money in the Prohibition Movement.

THURSDAY, JULY 10,

GRAND

Re-Union of Old Settlers

of Central Illinois.

The exercises of this day will be under the control of the Citizens of Decatur.

Govs. Hamilton, Oglesby and Palmer, and Peter Akers, D. D., Father Hale,

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How the Old Printer Passed Away.

And so, year after year, he wrought among the boys on a morning paper. He went to bed about the time the rest of the world got up, and he rose about the time the rest of the world set down to dinner. He worked by every kind of light except sunlight. There were candles in the office when he came in; then they had lard oil lamps that smoked and sputtered and smelled; then he saw two or three printers blinded by explosions of camphene and spirit gas, then kerosene came in and heated up the news-room on summer nights like a furnace; then the office put in gas, and now the electric light swung from the ceiling and dazzled his old eyes, and glared into them from his copy. If he sang on his way home a policeman bade him "cheese that," and reminded him that he was disturbing the peace and people wanted to sleep. But when he wanted to sleep the rest of the world for whom he had sat up all night to make a morning paper, roared and crashed by down the noisy streets under his window, with cart and truck and omnibus; blared with brass bands, howled with hand organs, talked and shouted; and even the shrieking newsboys, with a ghastly sarcasm, murdered the sleep of the tired old printer by yelling the name of his own paper.

Year after year the foreman roared at him to remember that this wasn't an afternoon paper, editors shrieked down the tube to have a blind man put on that dead man's case; smart young proof readers scribbled sarcastic comments on his work, on the margin of his proof slips, they didn't know how to read, long-winded correspondents learning to write, and long-haired poets who could never learn to spell wrathfully cast all their imperfections upon his head. But through it all he wrought patiently, and found more sunshine than shadow in the world; he had more friends than enemies. Printers and foremen and pressmen and reporters and editors came and went, but he saw newsroom and sanctum filled and emptied and filled and emptied again and filled again with new strange faces. He believed in his craft, and to the end he had a silent pity, that came as near being contempt as his good, forgiving old heart could feel, for an editor who had not worked his way from a regular devilship up past the cases and the imposing stone.

He worked all that night, and when the hours that are so short in the ball-room and so long in the composing-room drew wearily on, he was tired. He hadn't thrown in a very full case, he said, and he had to climb clear into the boxes and chase a type up into a corner before he could get hold of it. One of the boys, tired as himself—but a printer is never too tired to be good natured—offered to change places with him, but the old man said there was enough in the case to last him through this take, and he wouldn't work any more to-night. The type clicked in the silent room, and by and by the old man said:

"I'm out of sorts."

And sat down on the low window sill by his case, with his stick in his hand, his hands folded wearily in his lap. The types clicked on. A galley of telegraph waited.

"What gentleman is lingering with D 139?" called the foreman, who was always dangerously polished and polite when he was on the point of exploding with wrath and impatience.

Slug Nine, passing the alley, stopped to speak to the old man sitting there so quietly.

The telegraph boy came running in with the last manifold sheet, shouting: "Thirty!"

They carried the old man to the foreman's long table and laid him down reverently and covered his face. They took the stick out of his nerveless hand, and read his last take:

BOSTON, November 23—The American bark Pilgrim went to pieces off Marblehead in a light gale about midnight. She was old and unseaworthy, and this was to have been her last trip.

—*Burlington Hawkeye*

A Celebrated Running Sailor.

The pedestrian feats of the present day are cast into the shade by the recorded exploits of Earnest Mensen, a Norwegian sailor in the English navy, early in the present century. Mensen first attracted attention by running from London to Portsmouth in nine hours, and soon after he ran from London to Liverpool in thirty-two hours. Having distinguished himself at the battle of Navarino, in 1827, he left the navy and became a professional runner. After winning a number of matches, he undertook the feat of running from Paris to Moscow.

Starting from the Place Vendome at 4 o'clock in the afternoon of June 11, 1831, he entered the Kremlin at 10 o'clock A. M., on June 25, having accomplished the distance of seventeen hundred and sixty miles in thirteen days and eighteen hours The employment of Mensen as a courier-extraordinay became a popular amusement in European courts. He ran from country to country, bearing messages of congratulation, condolence, or dispatches, and always beat mounted couriers when matched against them.

He never walked but invariably run, his refreshments being biscuit and raspberry syrup. He took two short rests only in twenty-four hours. These rests he took standing, and leaning against some support; at such times he covered his face with a handkerchief and slept. In 1836, while in the employ of the East India Company, Mensen was charged with the conveying of dispatches from Calcutta to Constantinople through central Asia. The distance is five thousand six hundred and fifteen miles; which the messenger accomplished in fifty-nine days, or in one third of the time taken by the swiftest caravan. At last he was employed to discover the source of the Nile.

Setting out from Silesia on May 11, 1840, he ran to Jerusalem, and thence to Cairo, and up the western bank of the river into Upper Egypt. Here, just outside the village of Syang, he was seen to stop and rest, leaning against a palm tree, his face covered with a handkerchief. He rested so long that some persons tried to wake him; but they tried in vain for he was dead. He was buried at the foot of the tree, and it was years before his friends in Europe knew what fate had befallen him.—*Tid-Bits.*

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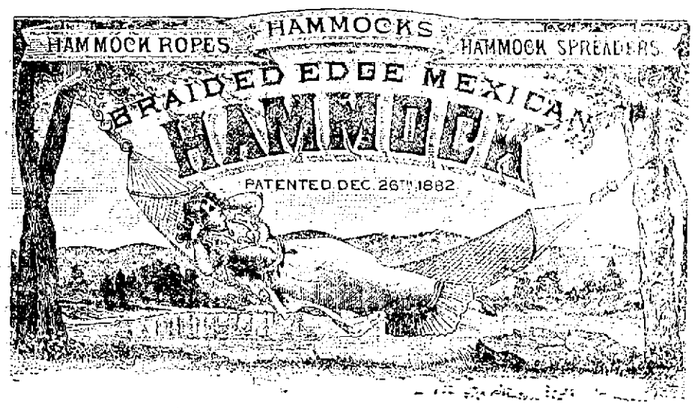

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WEDNESDAY EVENING, JUNE 18, 1884.

REPUBLICAN NOMINATIONS.

For President,
JAMES G. BLAINE,
of Maine.

For Vice President,
JOHN A. LOGAN,
of Illinois.

For Governor,
RICHARD J. OGLESBY,
of Macon.

For Lieutenant Governor
JOHN C. SMITH,
of Cass.

For Secretary of State
HENRY D. DRESSER,
of Lee.

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CHARLES P. SWIGART,
of Kankakee.

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of Cook.

For Attorney General,
GEORGE HUNT,
of Stephenson.

For Congress, 10th District,
JONATHAN H. DOWELL,
of McLean.

The *Review* still sticks to its lie, thus furnishing another proof of the belief of its editor in the old adage, that a lie well stuck to is as good as the truth.

The New York and Boston Independents have mounted with whips and spurs. But when they wake up and find themselves saddle of a bucking wire fence they will imagine that the spurs have slipped up the leg.

***Harper's Weekly* said sensible things of Abraham Lincoln than it has of James G. Blaine. But the people held a different sentiment. Unless November *Harper's Weekly* will see history repeat itself.**

Reporters of the New York Independents the Detroit News says "These Pharisees strain at a gnat with great ease, and swallow a camel without the slightest evidence to their gullets."

The Chicago Journal says "The Illinois Prohibitionists, who will meet in State Convention at Bloomington to-morrow, will do that which they will be ashamed of after the election. They will put a separate state ticket into the field, which will draw just votes enough to show how foolishly some good and well meaning men can act politically.

It has been conceded that Blaine will have as large a vote in New York as Garfield had in 1880. Garfield had 555,544 votes in the state, or 90,000 more than Cleveland had in 1882. Cleveland received his heavy majority through the folly of Republicans, but even the New York Post claims that his aggregate vote, should he be nominated for President, would not be as large as his vote for Governor was in 1882.

Ex-Governor St. John, of Kansas, declares that he can not support Blaine and Logan because he is opposed to the platform. But he expects absolutely nothing from the Democracy, and will not train with that party. He will throw away his strength and his votes on the position of the Pittsburg convention. The Governor ought to know that a vote thrown away is a vote against the Republican party and in favor of the Democrats, from whom the prohibitionists expect absolutely nothing.

It appears from a statement recently published that Louisiana is a Republican state. The Republican Central Committee in that state report that at the last election 71,728 votes were cast for Stevenson, the Republican and anti Burton candidate, and 54,964 for McEnery, the Democratic candidate. This is the Republican count. The Democratic count gave McEnery 88,454, and Stevenson 93,502. The Republican vote in 1880 was 81,891. Taking the Democratic figures, it has been more than doubled in four years.

Resolutions of Respect.

To the Officers and Members of Decatur Lodge No. 4, and Capitol Lodge No. 46, I. O. O. F.

Your committee, appointed to draft resolutions of condolence on the death of Brother W. K. Ward, of Urbana Lodge No. 46, I. O. O. F., of Urbana, O., would respectfully submit the following:

In the decease of Brother W. K. Ward we are forcibly reminded that "in the midst of life we are in death."

How striking is this truth in this instance illustrated. It was but yesterday, as it were, that our brother moved among us, full of life and hope and vigor, with the prospects of many years of usefulness before him. To-day his mortality mantles the tomb, his spirit, we trust and believe, rests with its Father and its God.

In being bereaved of one in the mystic tie of brotherhood, it is but fitting that we, as our last offering, give expression of fraternal sympathy to his family, and to the Lodge to which he belonged, the irreparable loss they have sustained.

Therefore, be it

Resolved, That in our sorrow we unite with the family of our deceased brother, in seeking consolation for ourselves and remember them. We tender them our heartfelt sympathy, and invoke for them Heaven's blessings upon the widow and the fatherless.

Resolved, That we conclude with the Urbana Lodge No. 46, I. O. O. F., in the loss of a worthy and consistent member.

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon our records, a copy sent to the family, a copy to Urbana Lodge No. 46, and a copy to each of the city newspapers for publication.

Chas. W. Farnsworth,
Capitol Lodge No. 46,
Chas. J. Hawkins,
Decatur Lodge No. 46. } Com.
C. H. Moore,
Decatur Lodge No. 46.

Decatur, Ill., June 16, 1884.

BY TELEGRAPH

ALL FOR HARMONY.

The Gathering of the Democracy of New York at Saratoga.

Which is to Fructify or Blast the Hopes of Many a Self-Sacrificing Patriot.

Several Hundred Delegates Present and En Route--Everybody Desires Harmony.

SARATOGA, N. Y., June 17.—Everything is in readiness for the meeting of the State Democratic Convention to-morrow to elect delegates to Chicago, but the factions are not harmonious. The friends of Cleveland are very earnest, but very quiet, while the enthusiasm for Flower is like that for Blaine at Chicago. Daniel Manning and the machine are declared to be in favor of Governor Cleveland, but the Tammanyites are almost united for Flower. The Convention will number 384 delegates, both sides omitting the New York contingent of 72 on account of a revival of the old question of representation between Tammany, Irving Hall and the county. The newspaper estimate gives Cleveland 168 and Flower 93, but a movement is in progress

TO BRING BAYARD

on the convention and defeat both aspirants. It is an open secret here that John Kelly is an enemy of Cleveland, and will consort with Flower's followers until he sees an opportunity to dump him overboard for Bayard. It is alleged that Tilden's letter of declination was published before the Saratoga Convention at the direct instance of Manning, who wanted thereby to boom the Cleveland movement.

Off for Saratoga.

NEW YORK, June 17.—White hats, black hats, straw hats and slouch hats bobbed and nodded up and down like corks in a storm at sea previous to the departure of the train for Saratoga. Tobacco juice was plentiful, so were "heelers," who sought to obtain a "dead-head" to and from the Convention, with board and lodgings thrown in. The train was made up of four drawing-room and eight ordinary carriages.

THE ONLY MOTTO

to be seen was a long white strip upon which was marked in large black letters "Tammany Hall Delegation." The majority of the delegates appeared in shirt sleeves and smoking caps. The boys in the car "Red Jacket" started a refrain composed especially so to be sung on the home trip after they have obtained their "regularity," the chorus of which was:

That's the Tammany train coming round the bend,
Hurrah, my boys, hurrah,
Though we're coming back quick, we didn't get licked,
Hurrah, my boys, hurrah.

The refrain was taken up by the occupants of the "Niagara," who quickly changed it to:

When Johnny comes marching home again,
hurrah, hurrah;
We'll give him a hearty welcome boys, hurrah, hurrah.

As the hands of the great clock pointed to the hour of ten Grand Marshal Thomas S. Brennan proclaimed in thunder tones: "The third and last call, all on board." The great engine snorted impatiently, the cars began to move slowly, leaving a dozen or more late arrivals behind, and in a second or two the Tammany delegation was speeding on its way to Saratoga, where, if nothing should happen to the scalpers en route, they expect to arrive at seven o'clock this evening. At 10:30 the scattered

ARMY OF BYING HALL,

under the generalship of Sheriff Alexander Davidson and a number of his Lieutenants, flanked by many so-called Independent Democrats, departed for the same goal determined like Tammany Hall to unfurl their banner of equal rights. They also took the Tammany strugglers who had been left behind under their foster arm.

JOHN KELLY,

in referring to the attitude of Tammany Hall with regard to her demand for regularity, said just before leaving: "The attitude of Tammany Hall remains unchanged. After mature deliberations we have come to the conclusion that if we are to take part in the coming political struggle, we must at least be formed with regularity. Regularity justly belongs to us, and we are determined to insist upon obtaining it. I really am at a loss to understand upon what basis either one of the Conventions can refuse it. In the event of the State committee refusing to listen to our demands our only course is to repeat the demand to the National committee. I am hopeful however that we will not have much trouble and that Tammany Hall will shortly enjoy her old prestige in having her regularity."

Ex-Senator Thomas F. Grady, Bourke Cockrane and Police Commissioner Sydney P. Nichols, when spoken to, re-echoed the sentiments of the chief: "We will come back with flying colors," said Mr. Cockrane, enthusiastically, "and then let the 'Plumed Knight' of Maine look out for squalls."

"Give us our regularity," interposed Senator Grady, "and we will guarantee a majority to the Democratic candidate after he reaches Harlem bridge of between 80,000 and 100,000."

Democracy at Saratoga.

SARATOGA, N. Y., June 17.—Delegates to the Democratic State Convention are gathering in force. Politicians are crowding here, Mr. Flowers on the ground in person. Ex-Governor Walker is here also. He says Cleveland is undoubtedly the man. Cleveland's and Flowers' partisans greatly exaggerate their respective strength. One of Flowers' managers said this morning: "If we can't get Flowers we are sold for Cleveland." At noon it is rumored that a compromise between the factions will be effected.

Bayard's Friends.

WILMINGTON, DEL., June 17.—Sixty-five of the most prominent Democrats from all parts of Delaware resolved themselves into a committee here this afternoon to look after Senator Bayard's chances at Chicago. They propose to raise plenty of money for the purpose and go in Pullman palace cars attended by the First Regiment band of this city. Congressman Martin, Secretary of State Cansey, State Treasurer Houston, County Treasurer Wm. Herbert, Attorney-General Gray and Hon. Geo. H. Bates are included in the committee.

BAYARD A STATESMAN.

But for Availability Cleveland's Your Man.

MATTOON, ILL., June 18.—The Independent Democrats here are almost universally in favor of Bayard, who is looked upon as being more of a statesman than any other man mentioned in connection with the Presidency. But the sentiment as to the most available candidate for the Presidency is somewhat divided. More, perhaps on the score of individuality, favor Cleveland than any other, but the candidacy of Flower is laughed at. Thurman has a few adherents, and McDonald is mentioned most frequently as Vice-Presidential timber.

Will Run for Congress.

STREATOR, ILL., June 18.—Colonel Ralph Plumb, of Streator, will be a candidate for the Republican nomination for Congress in the Eighth District. Mr. Plumb is prominent in his party, and already has a proud history and a distinguished record. He was the intimate and confidential friend of Giddings, Wade and Garfield, and enjoyed with them a great prominence in ante-bellum days. As a soldier and a civilian he has won distinction. As a Representative in Congress he would be a wise conservative.

Fight for the Nomination.

SHELBYVILLE, ILL., June 18.—The fight for the Democratic Congressional nomination by John R. Eden, of Moultrie, and Jesse J. Phillips, of Montgomery, has been waged with great energy on both sides. Both spoke here to fair audiences, Phillips in the afternoon and Eden in the evening. The primaries will be held Saturday.

FROM WASHINGTON.

HE DON'T REMEMBER.

A Former Candidate for Vice-President Under Investigation.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 18.—The special committee appointed to investigate charges against Hon. Wm. H. English of lobbying on the House floor in the interest of his son in the contested election case of English vs. Peelle, began an examination of witnesses yesterday. Representative Miller, of Iowa, was called:

"After you had voted to lay the motion for reconsideration on the table the day that English was seated, did Representative Pusey, of Iowa, request you to go to the Democratic side of the House?" asked Representative Millard.

Miller said Pusey came to him and inquired about his health, and he told him he was first rate and was going to the depot to meet his wife and daughter. Pusey asked him to stay and vote on the English-Peelle case.

Question: You evade the question; did Pusey ask you to go to the other side of the house?"

Answer: "I don't remember."

"Did you go with him?"

"I don't remember."

"Did you follow Pusey in a very few moments?"

"I can't tell you that."

"While he was sitting by you, was there any discussion regarding the election cases?"

"I do not remember."

"When you went to the other side of the House (Democratic) did you see English, the father?"

"I think not."

"Did you see the son?"

"I did."

"Did you converse with him?"

"I did. I saw him on my way as I was passing out of the hall."

"How soon was this after Pusey had been to your seat?"

"I don't know."

"Can you tell what time you received your telegram from your wife?"

"I can not; when I got home I found I had made a mistake of just about one hour in the time of the arrival of the train."

"Had you seen English, the father, previous to the balloting?"

"I was introduced to him on the floor of the House by some one. I asked if he was related to the Democratic candidate for the Vice-Presidency four years ago, and he said he was the identical man. English never made an offer or any suggestion that I should receive money."

"There is no charge of that kind against you.

"Next day, after the vote was taken, when I had made a personal explanation on the floor of the House, Wilson, of Iowa, said he was sorry I had made the explanation. He said Bayne, when he referred the day before in his speech to some one having left the hall, did not mean me."

W. H. English will be examined to-morrow.

Democratic Caucus.

WASHINGTON, June, 18.—The proceedings of the House Democratic caucus last night were not specially important. The caucus was called to consider the order of business for the remainder of the session. The only decision reached was that the Democratic members should stand by the appropriation committee in taking up and disposing of appropriation bills and conference reports whenever presented for consideration. This programme was adopted with a view of reaching final adjournment if possible before the Democratic National Convention. The time of the House not occupied with appropriation bills and conference reports is to be devoted to the special orders, and particularly to the land grant bills.

House.

Mr. Slocum (of N.Y.), from the conference committee, submitted a report on the Fitz John Porter bill, recommending concurrence in the Senate amendment. Adopted, yeas, 158; nays, 61.

At noon the House went into committee of the whole on the deficiency appropriation bill.

Working Non-Union Men.

PITTSBURGH, PA., June 17.—A telegraph from Apollo, Pa., says the Volto Iron Mills resumed this morning with non-union workmen. Up to noon no demonstrations had been made by the strikers and it is thought there will be no trouble.

Prices No Object.

We desire to call the attention of consumers to the fact that the protracted spell of rain having retarded business generally, and ours more particularly, we continue to show very large quantities and excellent varieties of all classes of Summer Goods, and almost unbroken assortment of *Dress Goods, Lawns, Summer Silks, Ladies' and Men's Underwear, Gloves, Parasols, Hosiery, Corsets, Ginghams, Foulards, White Goods* and housekeeping goods. In addition to our own very full stock we have received large invoices of goods to be disposed of at the *owners' risk*, and we will be able to show quantities and varieties in all classes of *Wash Goods, Hosiery, Gloves, Corsets and Parasols* equal to the best in the country. We will make you *low prices all around*. Come early.

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COWARDS' DEEDS.

The Streets of Vincennes, Ind., Crimsoned With a Woman's Blood.

A Shelbyville, Ill., Merchant Murdered and Robbed—The Body Found in a Pasture Lot.

Mrs. Chandler's Assailant Run Down and Placed in Jail to Await Trial.

VINCENNES, IND., June 18.—Mrs. Mollie Gherkin, a good-looking widow, who had been recently engaged as a domestic in the Sixth Ward Hotel, went to Brown's boarding-house last evening to see a friend and companion, Miss Rena Carl, with whom she desired to take a walk. At the house Mrs. Gherkin met Oliver Canfield, whom she had known some time, and who made some remark to her that she did not like, but Mrs. Gherkin left the house and said that she was going to the Post-office. The girls went as far as the gate, when Mrs. Gherkin called out: "Come on if you are going with us." Canfield went into the yard and replied. "If you go down town now it will be the last time," and walked up to the woman and pulling a revolver, fired at Mrs. Gherkin, who started to run. Canfield grabbed her around the neck and held her while he fired four more shots at her, one of which took effect in her brain. The dastardly murderer then dropped his poor victim upon the grass and fled to parts unknown. The woman never uttered a sound. Her brains oozed out of the frightful wound, and, although alive when the reporter left, she scarcely breathed, and could not survive until midnight. Neither of the participants of this affair are known here. Mrs. Gherkin's home is in Washington, a city twenty miles east of this city. So also is Canfield's home there. Mrs. Gherkin was a hard-working woman and endeavored to support herself. Last Saturday she came to this city to find employment and succeeded. It is supposed that the woman and Canfield were engaged to be married, as Canfield followed Mrs. Gherkin to this city and endeavored to find work. He was a coal miner, and generally regarded as a hard character. He has escaped, and it is not thought he will be captured. Mrs. Gherkin is about twenty-five years of age and Canfield about the same age.

Murdered and Robbed.

SHELBYVILLE, ILL., June 18.—Excitement was occasioned here yesterday afternoon by the finding of the dead body of a man lying in a pasture lot a half mile east of the city. An examination proved it to be the body of F. M. Crooks, who for the past six or eight months has been a partner in a furniture store in this city. His pockets were turned inside out, his purse empty, and a pocket-book he usually carried nowhere to be found. Crooks left his boarding-house last Friday, and since that has not been seen there. It is believed that he had a considerable amount of money on his person and foul play is suspected. He must have met his death several days ago, as the body is in an advanced state of decomposition, making it impossible to fix his identity by his features. Papers in his pocket, among them a note for $200, proved his identity. His partner, Mr. Holt, went to Lakewood yesterday and further particulars can not be learned until his return. The decaying body was buried and the Coroner held an inquest.

Run Down.

SPRINGFIELD, MO., June 18.—Officers Isom Snow and W. R. Cowden pursued F. M. Goddard, the man charged with committing a rape on the person of Mrs. J. Chandler near this city, and arrested him about eleven o'clock Monday night at a farm-house near Dadeville in Dade County. The prisoner was brought here and arraigned before Judge W. H. Davis yesterday, and, waiving examination, his bond was fixed at $3,000, in default of which Goddard was sent to the County Jail, to await the action of the Grand Jury. Goddard is about forty-two years old, a widower, and has several children at his home in this city. The case has attracted much attention, and caused a large amount of indignation among the citizens. The prisoner, however, denies the charge against him, and claims that he will establish his innocence at the trial.

THE ANIMUS OF THE ATTACK.

Why the California Democracy Instructed Against Justice Field.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 18.—The *Post* to-day prints an interview with Representative Money, of Mississippi, concerning the Presidential candidacy of Justice Field, and the views of the latter with regard to the recent action of the California Democratic State Convention at Stockton. The most important parts of the interview are as follows: "Learning that Representative H. D. Money was very close to Judge Field, a *Post* reporter called upon Mr. Money for the purpose of ascertaining what were Field's views respecting the action of the Democratic State Convention of California and the editorial from the *Alta California* recently telegraphed East by the Associated Press. Money said he had just returned from a visit to Judge Field and had discussed the *Alta* editorial and action of the California convention; that Judge Field had expressed himself substantially to this effect: 'There is a radical element in California politics that alarms the conservative men in that State without regard to party organization, as dangerous to the rights of property. I have never swerved from my duty to pander to that element, which is therefore hostile to me, but politicians have done so, and this is the secret of the resolutions which have been aimed at me. The element does not constitute a majority of the Democratic party of California, but is large enough to intimidate its organization. This element resented the judicial decisions of mine, not one of which would I retract to receive the nomination; therefore the action of the California Convention is no surprise or disappointment to me. Most assuredly I have not deserved any support which was not the result of an open and frank appeal to public opinion, and, as you know, I said months ago that I did not expect to receive this support, and it was so stated in the public prints. I have not sought the nomination and if I have allowed my name to be used it was in deference to the opinions of friends in different parts of the country, who have acted without reference to California sentiments, and the matter is with them and not with me. I do not suppose these gentlemen will modify their action because they fail to receive support in a quarter where they never expected it.'"

A Drunken Man's Costly Bonfire.

QUINCY, ILL., June 18.—A man by the name of Meyers, who lives one and a half miles south of Fowler, Gilmore Township, this County, burned down his own house, barn and other buildings Monday night. He drove his family out first and then applied the torch, stationed himself near with a shot-gun and threatened to shoot any one who interfered with his incendiary work. The house and furniture, barn with grain, harness, implements, etc., were entirely destroyed and no one dared to go near them. He stood his ground until his work was completed; he was crazy drunk when he committed the deed. The loss amounts to several thousand dollars.

Ferris' Turn.

LINCOLN, ILL., June 18.—A charivari and beer-drinking festival near Staunton, Macoupin County, were important events, as brought out in the Mt. Pulaski triple murder trial yesterday. Defendant Ferris is endeavoring to establish an alibi and his only hope is in convincing the jury that the latter entertainment occurred on Friday night, August 18, 1882, instead of the Thursday night preceding. Several witnesses were examined, and so testified, but with two exceptions became confused and contradictory on cross-examination. The defendant will testify in his own behalf to-day and witnesses in rebuttal will be called to-morrow.

BASE BALL BREVITIES.

Score of Games Played on Tuesday, June 17.

Cincinnati, O.—St. Louis Unions, 9; Cincinnati Unions, 1.

New York—New Yorks, 7; Bostons, 6. ....Metropolitans, 7; Columbus, 5.

Boston, Mass.—Philadelphias, 7; Bostons, 2....Boston Unions, 11; Nationals, 1.

Washington, D. C.—Indianapolis, 11; Washingtons, 7.

Pittsburgh, Pa.—Louisvilles, 7; Alleghenys, 6.

Buffalo, N. Y.—Buffalos, 8; Chicagos, 7.

Baltimore, Md.—St. Louis, 7; Baltimores, 6.

Providence, R. I.—Providences, 9; New Yorks, 6.

New Haven, Conn.—Yales, 9; Browns, 6.

Cleveland, O.—Clevelands, 9; Detroits, 3.

Philadelphia, Pa.—Athletics, 10; Cincinnatis, 8.

Stillwater, Minn.—Quincys, 3; Stillwaters, 1.

St. Paul, Minn.—Peorias, 10; St. Pauls, 2.

Brooklyn, N. Y.—Brooklyns, 6; Toledos, 4.

Chicago, Ill.—Chicago Unions, 8; Kansas Citys, 5.

AN HONEST MAN

Driven to Insanity and Suicide by a Practical Joke.

CHESTERTOWN, MD., June 17.—Walter S. Woodall, a young and wealthy farmer, committed suicide here to-day under peculiar circumstances. He lately leased a piece of land from a neighbor and referred without permission to several friends as to his character. They for a joke gave him a bad one. These idle rumors gained credence in the neighborhood and so preyed on Woodall's mind that it became unbalanced. He offered his colored servant $10 to drown him. The latter in horror refused and went for an officer to secure his master. In his absence Woodall took a boat, went out into the river and threw himself in.

THE SCOTT LAW AFFIRMED,

And the State of Ohio Eight Millions Ahead of the Decision.

COLUMBUS, O., June 17.—The Scott Law was this morning decided constitutional, except as to the proviso, that the tax shall be a lien on rented property. The decision, affecting as it does, the legality of last year's tax payments and the authority to collect the tax for the present year represents revenue saved throughout the State of $8,000,000, and affirms the right of the State under the present constitution to tax to any extent the liquor traffic, and therefore its right to practically prohibit the traffic.

Fatal Explosion of Gunpowder.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., June 17.—Eight boys were more or less injured by the explosion of a keg of powder at Beattie's magazine yesterday. George Kelly, aged twelve years, and George Saur, aged thirteen years, will die. The others are not seriously hurt. Two of the boys had found the keg on Sunday and set some of it off, receiving slight damage, nevertheless they tried it again yesterday, with the results as stated.

ASSEMBLED AT FULTON.

The State Sunday-School Convention of the Christian Church.

FULTON, MO., June 17.—The State Sunday-School Convention of the Christian Church, convened here last night. About 400 delegates are in attendance, and more are expected to-day. Rev. M. Blackwell, of Lexington, Mo., preached the opening sermon to a large and appreciative audience.

Fish, Eno and Ward Indicted.

NEW YORK, June 17.—The United States Grand Jury handed in indictments against James D. Fish and John C. Eno, charging them with the misappropriation of National Bank funds. Also an indictment against Ferdinand Ward, charging him with aiding and abetting an officer of a National bank in illegally applying the funds of the bank.

Cut His Throat.

FREEMONT, ILL., June 17.—Karl Morris, a variety actor, committed suicide last night by cutting his throat with a razor. Ill health and despondency led him to commit the act.

WHEN you are being worried to death by Rheumatism, you pray for something to walk right into your system, and capture the strongholds of the disease. Your prayer is answered by ATHLOPHOROS. Says Miss E. C. Mulligan, Spartanburg, S. C.: "Your ATHLOPHOROS relieved my Rheumatism at once. A colored man who got a bottle of me was cured of a severe attack in a few days. Another who was confined to bed with Rheumatism was raised up in two days."

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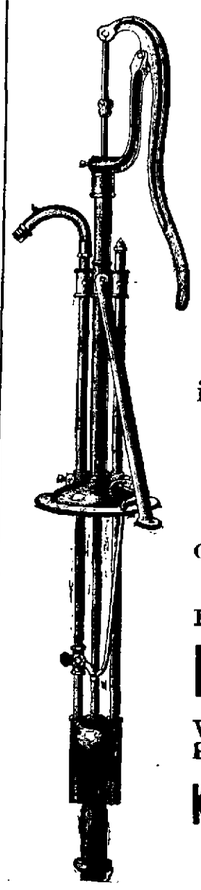

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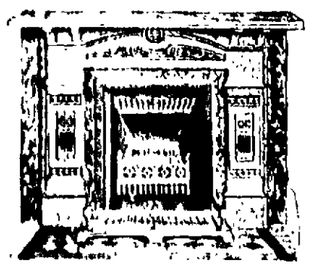

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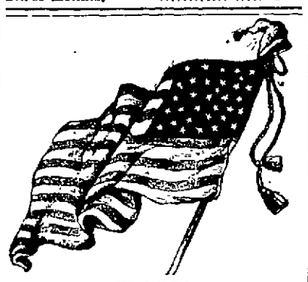
Per week, payable to Carrier,	10 Cts.
One year, in advance,	$5.00
Six Months, "	2.50
Three Months, "	1.25



FLAGS!

We have received an Immense stock of FLAGS, of every size, from 3 inches to 6 feet. We will made special prices to committees or parties wanting quantities for *Decoration Day*. Come and get what you want *now*. Also a full line of Japanese Lanterns.

E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & CO.

May 2—dtf

ANNOUNCEMENT.

We are authorized to announce JOHN H. CHOCKER, of Maron, as a candidate for representative from the 29th Senatorial District, subject to the decision of the Republican district convention.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, JUNE 18, 1884.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

LAWN VASES, of all styles, at E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.'s.

ANIOTON.

TO-NIGHT the Decatur Turners will have a happy jollification at the park over the victories won at Pekin.

CARPETS, all prices and styles, at Abel & Locke's.

SAM LEE, 130 North Water street—machine ironed shirts, 10 cents, collars 3 cents, cuffs 5 cents per pair. dec 11-d1y

THE base ball game which was announced to come off to-morrow has been postponed until Friday afternoon.

ATTEND the Blaine and Logan Club meeting at the court house Thursday night. Hear the speeches.

THE music in the park last evening by Goodman's band was just splendid. Let us have open air concerts two evenings a week during the summer. Raise a fund, and show your appreciation of the premium band.

THE best Cook Stoves in the market, cheap, at Bachman Bros'. june16-d1m

THOSE members of Macon Chapter of Masons who intend going to Clinton to-night are invited to meet this evening at J. T. Hand & Co.'s book store.

QUICK sales and small profits, at Bachman Bros'. june16-d1m

THE Grand Army of the Republic of the United States numbers 225,000, an increase during the last six months of 42,000. The membership is distributed among about 4,000 posts. During the past year $132,000 has been expended for charitable purposes.

70 CENTS is as good as a dollar at the White Front in the purchase of Summer Goods. 18-d&w2w

THE Pekin Turn Verein took in for beer alone at their stands in the park on Sunday $980. It was a big day. Decatur Turners took the "keg" in prizes.

IT is money in your pocket to trade at the Big 18. 18

ALWAYS ask for Schroeder's celebrated Bohemian cigars. They are the best nickel smokers.

ICE CREAM, hard to beat, big dishes, only 5 and 10 cents, or 35 cents a quart, at Miller's Restaurant. 13-d1w

ANIOTON.

JOHN W. TYLER, JR., is not at the old stand, neither is he at Niantic. He has opened a new harness shop at No. 159 East Prairie st, near the corner of Water, where he would be pleased to have old and new patrons call when they want something firstclass in his line. 16dtf

LOOK out for the brilliant fire works and balloons in front of Miller's Restaurant 4th of July. 13-d1w

THE famous Packard organs are on sale at C. B. Prescott's music store, in opera block. Also Haines Bros'. pianos.

FRESH strawberries, green beans, green peas, asparagus, new cabbage and new potatoes, every day, at P. Ullrich's. m10-dtf

PAINTS, Oils, Varnishes, Brushes and Painters' Supplies, at W. A. Bridges, 215 North Main street. ma29-dtf

THE lot fronting the Park and on the corner next to Keefe & Kraft, belonging to the estate of the late J. W. King, of Jacksonville, is now offered for sale for $3,500. Inquire of Otto E. Curtis.

June 17, d6.

ANIOTON.

CLINTON has made preparations to observe the 4th of July, and will celebrate in old-fashioned style. The cornet band has been engaged for the occasion, and T. F. Tipton, of Bloomington, will be the orator. The exercises will be held in the court park at Clinton.

A VARIETY of colors and styles of fly nets at Starr & Son's from $1 to $4 50 each. June 17-dtf

THE need of merit for promoting personal esthetoicism is due to J.C. Ayer & Co., whose incomparable Hair Vigor is a universal beautifier of the hair. Harmless, effective, agreeable, it has taken rank among the indispensable articles of toilet. To scanty locks it gives luxuriance; and withered hair it clothes with the hue of youth. 16

CALL up F. W. Niedermeyer by telephone and order family groceries from his new store on the mound.

ANICTON.

ORDER ice cream, made of pure cream, at Marcott & Niebel's. Price per gallon $1.50; per quart, 40 cents. m26-dtf

IF you have got the money, and want Furniture and Stoves, don't fail to call on Bachman Bros., for they will sell you cheap. june16-d1m

FOR constitutional or scrofulous catarrh and for consumption induced by the scrofulous taint, Ayer's Sarsaparilla is the true remedy. It has cured numberless cases. It will stop the nauseous catarrhal discharges, and remove the sickening odor of the breath, which are indications of scrofulous origin. 16

FURNITURE, cheaper than ever, at Bachman Bros'. june16-d1m

You can save money on every article you buy from J. G. STARR & SON.

June 17-dtf

THE MURDER TRIAL.

John Q. Adams on Trial for His Life.

Yesterday afternoon soon after two o'clock the counsel succeeded in securing the 12th man in the John Q. Adams murder case, now on trial in the circuit court. The jury is made up of the following citizens of the county: John M. Hughes, Wm. B. Hutchins, B. D. Uhrich, D. F. Hubbard, W. C. Jones, J. C. Roby, Theo. Bobb, R. T. Davis, John P. Jones, John W. Bell, John C. Paxton and M. Talbot.

The opening statements were brief. They set forth that on Sept. 6, 1883, on the main street in Maron, John Q. Adams, then a police officer, shot Joseph Cooper, a farmer, through the breast, and that 18 days afterward Cooper died.

The witnesses examined for the prosecution up to noon to-day were George Conover, Tim Waller, J. B. Austin, Mrs. J. G. Schenck, Miss Fannie Schenck, Henry Jump, Dr. A. E. Morgan, John Hawkins, James Wiley, Cal Braden Willam Dill, James Biddor, Jefferson Cramer, David Read and Clay Angle.

The cirumstances of the killing, as detailed in the REPUBLICAN, at the time of the shooting, were reiterated by these witnesses. Cooper was drunk that day, and just returned to Maron from Decatur, where he had attended the county fair. In company with a friend, Cooper had gone into a shed at Maron to take a drink out of a bottle. Officer Adams saw them, and told Cooper in effect that he was doing wrong and should quit. Then he passed west and stopped in front of Emery's bank, to which point Adams was followed by Cooper. The two men had some words together which culminated in Adams drawing his revolver and shooting Cooper. Milton Adams, president of the town board, and a number of other people on the street saw the shooting. The prosecution will attempt to show that the deed was done without provocation, and will also endeavor to bring before the jury the alleged fact that Adams had an old grudge against Cooper and that he had threatened to get even with him in some way. It is stated that some months before the shooting Adams and several others had gone out hunting, and that Cooper had ordered them off his farm. Cal Braden testified this morning that after Cooper was taken into Dr. Axton's drug store and placed in a chair Officer Adams appeared in the doorway, looked in and said to Cooper: "I told you I'd kill you, d—n you." Witness testified that there were many persons standing about at the time, but couldn't name any of them.

The defense will attempt to show that Cooper was following Adams for the purpose of doing him harm, and that at the time the shot was fired he had a knife in his hand.

Witnesses for the prosecution stated that a knife was found on the person of Cooper by the officer, who handed it to Milton Adams. It was partly opened. Tim Waller testified that he couldn't state where Adams got the knife, but believed he took it out of Cooper's pocket and then opened it as he handed it to Milton Adams.

Judge Davidson, of Covington, Ind., a friend of the Cooper family, and a noted criminal lawyer, is assisting Cren and Buckingham in the prosecution of the case.

THE drawing for the Thomas Fields stem-winding Elgin watch, worth $30, came off at Huston Singleton's barber shop in the presence of a large number of interested parties. Sixty tickets were sold at 50 cents each. No. 29, held by James Williams, a tailor with James Veale, drew the prize.

TOM HOUCK has received a bid from the Peoria Reserves to bring over a picked nine from Decatur and play an exhibition game of base ball at that place. The visitors will be given half the gate receipts. Tom will endeavor to make up a club and give the Peoria smarties a drubbing.

JOHN GRASS, JR., is at present engaged in laying a long stretch of brick walk, five feet wide, on the north side of College Hill, in front of the residences occupied by Mr. Gastman, Mr. Bishop and Mr. Boyd. Mr. Grass is also doing guttering work for W. F. Busher, and will be kept busy until the snow begins to fly.

EMIL YOUNG makes a specialty of Buff Cochin chickens, and the eggs they lay are "whoppers." Two samples are before us, which Emil thinks are pretty hard to beat: One measures 7⅞ inches in circumference and weighs 3½ ounces; the other measures 7½ inches and weighs 3¼ ounces.

A. W. CHEGA has sold lot 5 in block 2, Smith & Co's addition, on North Water street, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Diehl. The consideration was $550.

SPECTACLES,

As good as there is in the world, perfectly fitted, to suit all cases. No foolish or unreasonable prices. References, every citizen of Decatur who is using the Crystal Gem Spectacle. I will guarantee perfect satisfaction in every case. Office hours, 1 to 5 o'clock p. m. at the New Deming, on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, June 23, 24 and 25. Positively no longer. T. P. HUBBELL.

DO NOT buy a Summer Vest until you examine the elegant assortment to be found at John Irwin's White Front.

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MEDICAL science knows a true remedy when it sees it. It knows a bad one, too, and isn't slow to rap it on the knuckle. Wherever doctors have tried ATHLOPHOROS it has won their favor. Dr. J. La Due, Denver, Minnie Co, Ind., in writing for an order of ATHLOPHOROS, says: "My uncle, Rev. William Cool, has tried ATHLOPHOROS for Rheumatism, and it has helped him so much that my mother, who has been a sufferer for a long time, is anxious to try it."

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The best standard unbleached muslin @ 6c.

Fast colored plaid ginghams, formerly sold at 10c, @ 6c.

Elegant patterns of cretonnes, worth 25c, @ 10c.

Fast colored lawns, in different styles and patterns, @ 5c.

The best corset in the market, 50c.

Ladies', misses' or children's hose, 5c.

Ladies' chemise, drawers and night gowns, 25c and 50c, respectively.

The best unlaundried shirt, reinforced front, linen bosom and bands, 50c.

Ladies' Jersey gloves, long wrists, 25c.

Ladies' gloves, plain, 10c.

Jamestown worsted dress goods, fast colors, and the best and most durable dress goods made, 20c.

All wool cardinal, blue and black shawls, $2 50.

An elegant line of twilled silk, or pure satin parasols, $1.50.

Bargains in every department.

CHEAP STORE.

Big 18. 18.

Looking for a Lunatic.

John A. Smith, a farmer residing near Jacksonville, was in Decatur last night on a sad mission. He is looking after his bachelor brother, D. B. Smith, aged 40, a music dealer at Jacksonville, who became suddenly deranged Friday night and left his home Saturday morning, coming east over the Wabash road. Mr. Smith had a consultation with Marshal Mason last night, at the New Deming, but after a thorough search it was learned that the lunatic had not shown up anywhere about the city. This morning while at the depot watching the incoming trains, Mr. Smith learned that an eccentric man, answering the description of his brother, had gone to Indianapolis Saturday night on the I., B. & W. train. The conductor remembers the party very well, because while on the way over the stranger drew back his arm and drove his fist through one of the closed windows, breaking the glass, pieces of which were scattered about the car and over passengers sitting near him. The stranger also committed other peculiar acts, and it was the opinion of all on the train that the stranger was deranged. Mr. Smith left for Indianapolis at noon to-day. He says he will continue the search for his brother, if he has to follow him to New York.

In a Sorry Plight.

On going home yesterday after the dinner hour, Johnny Mattes was told by his wife, who is a sister-in-law of Billy Niedermeyer, that the three-burner fluid stove wanted more oil. John proceeded to fill the reservoir, noticing when he commenced pouring the oil that neither of the burners were lighted. The flame had gone out for want of oil, and when the fluid reached the burner it suddenly flashed up, and to save himself from cremation John threw the can out of the kitchen door. In doing so some of the oil flew over his breast and arms and the oil caught fire. John ran out into the yard, and rolled over and over in the grass. In the excitement he had climbed over a fence and rolled among a lot of potato vines. He doesn't recollect climbing over the fence. He returned to the house, threw out the stove and a piece of carpet, and then found that the flesh of his right arm was nearly burned to the bone, and that the right side of his face and left arm were also badly scorched. John, who is employed at his father's brick yard, will be off duty several weeks.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Nellie Shroeder is at Normal visiting friends.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith, today, a son.

Mrs. Alex. Montgomery has been seriously ill at her home for several days.

E. A. Gastman is at Normal to-day, attending a meeting of the State Board of Education.

Benj. Dill and son left for Wichita, Kansas, last evening. The family will reside there permanently.

Harvey Downing had charge of the murder jury last night. The jury sat in the windows and heard the free concert in the park.

M. P. Murphey left for Bloomington this morning, to take a look at the city and attend the state prohibition convention.

Miss Mary M. Lowry, of Pontiac, who has been visiting colored friends in this city, left for Springfield this afternoon, where she will visit before going home.

Judge Davidson, of Covington, Ind., an able criminal lawyer, is in the city, participating in the prosecution of John Adams for the murder of Joe Cooper.

Charley Denton, who is now 18, was given a joyful surprise at his home on East North street last night, when his birthday anniversary was pleasantly celebrated. The company included about a dozen couples.

Charley Ewing has returned from Mattoon, where he formed a small class in Eclectic short-hand writing. As the numbers did not increase, he threw up the engagement and is now looking for another sail.

Will Henkle, chief clerk in the office of the state auditor, and also secretary of the Board of Equalization, left for Springfield last evening. His wife and daughter, Miss Alice, will remain here the remainder of the week.

Rev. S. F. Gibb, of this city, has tendered his resignation as pastor of the Universalist church at Litchfield. A prospect of a better salary and more pleasant surroundings induced him to retire.

Captain C. M. Durfee and Lieut. Moore, of Gen. Moore camp, are at Springfield to-day attending the state encampment of Sons of Veterans. Capt. C. F. Wilcox, quartermaster sergeant of the Illinois division, is also in attendance.

R. L. Barton, partner of R. W. Weld in the hardware business, was lately principal of the Galena public school and city superintendent. He held the positions for a term of three years, and had been reappointed for another year, but resigned to come to Decatur.

Governor Oglesby arrived in Decatur this forenoon from Lincoln, and this evening will leave for Carbondale to deliver one of his rousing speeches to-morrow. The Governor is in excellent health and spirits and would have addressed the Blaine and Logan club at the court house to-morrow night, but for the Carbondale engagement.

He Paid the Money.

The absence of L. C. Thompson, the absconding board of trade man, has been dolefully mourned lo, these many days, by gullible creditors. It became pretty generally known to our readers at the time of his disappearance that he had swindled a widow woman out of rent money. It has just come to light that Thompson has paid the lady in full, having sent the cash here from Chicago. This was kind of Thompson, but what is he going to do about that $100 claim due Farmer Jones, of Boody? The present address of Thompson is not known. The sheriff would like to learn it.

THE free Bible lectures, postponed on account of band meeting, will be continued in the park at 7 o'clock to-night. Subject: "Consecration, or the Narrow Way to Life." All are invited, thinking Christians specially.

FOREPAUGH has contracted with the P., D. and E. company for transportation for his circus and menagerie from Lincoln to Mattoon and then back to Decatur. The outfit requires 58 cars and will be in this city about the 2d of August. The company will be here in August.

A Flush Ticket.

The El Paso *Journal* flings the following to the breeze:

For Governor—W. T. Dowdall, of Peoria.

For Lieut. Governor—Phocion Howard, of Danville.

Platform: Give the damphools a chance.

NEW patterns of Momie cloth lap dusters very cheap at J. G. STARR & SON'S

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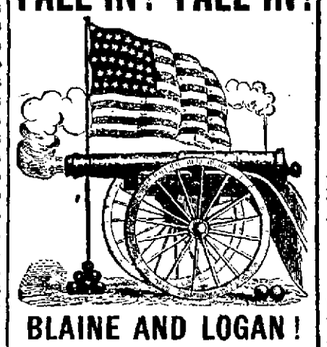
FALL IN! FALL IN!



BLAINE AND LOGAN!

There will be a grand rally of Republicans at the court house to-morrow night, when a Blaine and Logan Club will be organized.

All Republicans invited to turn out promptly. Hear the speeches.

Another Evidence of Persecution.

The bigamy case of The People vs. James M. Hiatt came up again this morning in the circuit court before Judge Smith, who allowed the motion to quash the indictment. Mr. Hiatt was at once discharged from custody. He was feeling good all over, and he went into the sheriff's office to shake hands with that official before taking his departure. There was a surprise in store for him, a surprise which he had no reason to anticipate. Sheriff Foster shook hands with the discharged journalist, and then told him that he had another warrant for his arrest on a charge of perjury, sworn out at Pontiac this week by his son, Otto Hiatt. The muchly persecuted Hiatt could only bow to the mandates of the officer, and after conferring with a number of friends and writing several letters, in company with Constable Harris the prisoner went to the county jail, where he will remain until the sheriff of Livingston county arrives and takes him to Pontiac for a preliminary hearing before a justice of the peace. Some weeks ago it will be remembered that revengeful woman in this celebrated case (Mrs. Hiatt No. 1, of Indianapolis) had Hiatt arrested on a charge of perjury, and he is now under $1,000 bail waiting his trial at the October term of the Livingston county circuit court. Now just as he was released on the bigamy charge, Mr. Hiatt is again assailed by his former wife who, by using the law, puts him behind the bars on a second charge of perjury. We are not fully acquainted with all the facts in the case, but it appears that the persecution of Hiatt is chiefly inspired out of a spirit of revenge—to keep him in hot water and put him behind the bars as often as possible.

The County Court.

The following claims against various estates have been probated and allowed by Judge Greer in the County Court, at the June term:

Estate of E. E. McDaniel—P. Perl, $35; Freeman Bros., $1.

Estate of Robert F. Morrison—J. F. Dewatney, $6; S. W. Johns, $62 50; John Coleman, $218; L. K. Geno, $7; P. L. Bourquin, $43.80; Andrew Zerger, note, $437.13.

Estate of Wm. M. Rung—William Cooper, $32.00.

Estate of Jacob Stutsman—W. J. & Cass Chenoweth, $20; C. A. Carter, $1,000 (appeal taken); C. W. Mullens, $83; Bunn & Park, $40; R. L. Walston, $16; Theo. A. Gearmann, $8.85; M. J. Smock, $15.

Estate of E. S. McDaniel—claims filed, J. N. Pickle, $27.50; Emeline Pickle, $100.

Estate of Peter F. Lehman—claim filed, W. L. Reid, guardian of Mary E. Martin, $266.91.

ANY attempt to produce a flavor in this or any other country that can surpass Dr. Price's Special Flavoring Extracts will prove a failure, for Dr. Price's are as fresh and nice as the fruits from which they are made and cannot be improved. Their superiority consists not only in their fruity odor, but also in their delicate taste.

MARRIED.

In this city, on June 18, 1884, at his office, by D. C. Corley, J. P., MR. HENDERSON WALLACE, of Mt. Zion, and MISS FRANCES E. HEDDEN, of Decatur.

At the residence of the bride's parents in Maron township, sixth month, 12th, 1884, by Friends' ceremony, ARTHUR E. PINKHAM, of Richmond, Ind., and ANNA FOULKE, of Maron, Ills.

Robbed and Murdered.

Mr. Troublesome Cold, living on every street, was last night knocked down on Throat street and robbed of his hoarseness, sore throat and cold, by White Pine Balsam (Burks'). Mr. Cold will die.

Officer Damp Night heard the noise and rushed to Mr. Cold's assistance, but when he recognized the assailing party, he was helpless and disappeared. It is known that Balsam is hiding behind the counters of most of our prominent druggists. People with colds should find him. Burks' White Pine Balsam is for sale by H. B. Cole. 17

Excursion.

The Wabash, St. Louis and Pacific railroad will run an excursion to all land points in Kansas and Nebraska on June 23d, at single fare for the round trip. Call on any Wabash agent or Thos. Bivans, over P. O. Decatur, Ill.

Hosiery!

Our stock of Hosiery—ladies', misses' and children's—is most complete, and embraces a stock that for variety and assortment is unsurpassed anywhere. We offer Hosiery of every description *lower* than any House in Decatur.

CHEAP STORE.

Big 18. 18

D. A. MAFFIT has two wagons, and is prepared to furnish pure crystal ice in quantities to suit in any part of the city. Telephone 100. may21-dtf

Go to the Big 18

For *Bargains* in every department. No baits in any, but first-class standard goods at uniformly *low prices*.

18 CHEAP STORE.

Fresh Oysters,

New York Saddle Rocks, Big Fat Fellows, just received and on hand all summer at MILLER'S Restaurant.

June 13—d1w

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Closing Quotations at 1 O'clock To-Day at S. T. Johnson & Co.'s "Board of Trade" Rooms.

CHICAGO, June 18.

WHEAT— —June; 88½ July; 90¾ Aug.
CORN— —June; 57 July; 57⅝ Aug.
OATS— —June; 32⅝ July; 28¼ Aug.
PORK—$— June; $19.65 July; $19.65 Aug.
LARD — June; $7.90 July; $7.90 Aug.

STOCK YARDS.

HOGS—Estimated receipts, 20,000; cattle, 6,000. Light hogs, $4.80 to $5.50; mixed, $5.05 to $5.30; heavy, $5.35 to $5.65.

RECEIPTS AND SHIPMENTS.

	RECEIPTS.	SHIPM'TS.	CAR LOTS.
WHEAT—			52
CORN—			355
OATS—			194

LOOK OUT

for the GREATEST Bargains ever offered in Dry Goods and Carpets.

On Monday NEXT, June 16th, we shall place on sale a large assortment of Plain and Fancy Summer Silks, at 25, 35 and 40 cents that have never been equaled in the United States for value.

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50 Dozen Ladies' Kid Gloves,

In Black and New desirable Shades, at 50 cents. Extraordinarily Cheap.

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HAMBURG EMBROIDERIES.

Another GREAT reduction in Hamburg Embroideries, that will justify the inspection of everybody wanting Matchless Bargains.

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DRESS GOODS,

And Black and Colored Silks, Calicoes, Cottons, Towels, Table Linens, Quilts, Handkerchiefs, Hosiery, Gloves and Corsets, at unheard of Low Prices.

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1,500 YARDS

Brussels Carpets, in remnants of from 10 to 20 yards, that will be sold at a sacrifice.

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JOB LOTS

Of WALL PAPER that will be sold Cheap.

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Many other Goods will be placed on sale at very Low Prices.

LINN & SCRUGGS.

May 15—d&wtf

Buy it and try it and you will never use common wax again.

MOREHOUSE, WELLS & CO.,

134 EAST MAIN STREET.

CARPETS CURTAINS

—AND—

WALL-PAPERS,

In Quality, Style and Coloring, surpassing anything ever brought to Decatur. Our prices, as usual, will be the *lowest*.

ABEL & LOCKE.

BARGAINS THIS WEEK

—AT THE—

Utica Clothing Store!

We are offering some of the Greatest Inducements ever offered to buyers.

WE QUOTE:

60 Men's Suits, (Coat, Vest and Pants), at $1 25 the Suit

60 Men's Suits, $ [illegible] 00, usual price $5 00

60 Men's Suits, at $3 75, everybody sells them at $6 00

25 Men's Suits, at $4 50, worth $8 00

25 Men's Suits, at $6 00, worth $10 00

25 Men's Suits, at $7 00, worth $11 00

A large variety of All Wool Suits, all marked to $9 00, these goods are worth from $12 00 to $15 00

Men's Black Diagonal Worsted Dress Suits at $10 00, sold usually at $15 00

English Worsted Dress Suits at $15 00, $16 00 and $17 00 Sold everywhere at $20 00, $22 00 and $25 00

Men's Brown Duck Overalls at 25c

Men's Pants, lined all through, 75c.

Men's White Shirts, with Linen Bosoms, Reinforced Front, for 75c. The best in the city for the money

A large line of Boys' Suits at $1 50, $2 00, $2 50, $2 75 and $3 00

A splendid line of Sailor Suits for children at $1 50 and $1 00

Kilt Suits for children from 2 to 5 years old, from $1 00 to $2 75

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No other complaints are so numerous in their attacks as those affecting the throat and lungs, none so truly dreaded by the majority of sufferers. The ordinary cough or cold, resulting perhaps from a trifling or unnoticed exposure, is often but the beginning of a fatal sickness. AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL has well proven its efficacy in forty years fight with throat and lung diseases, and should be taken in all cases without delay.

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"In 1866, I took a severe cold which lodged in my lungs. I had a terrible cough, and passed night after night without sleep. The doctors gave me up. I tried AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL, which relieved my lungs, induced sleep, and allayed the first necessary for the recovery of my strength. By the continued use of the PECTORAL a permanent cure was effected. I am now 65 years old, hale and hearty, and am satisfied your CHERRY PECTORAL saved me. HONORE LAMOUREUX"

Richelieu, C.E., July 16, 1882

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"While in the country last winter my little boy three years old was taken ill with a croup. It seemed as if he would die from strangulation. One of the family suggested the use of AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL, which I did, and it was always kept in the house. His mother, in small and frequent doses, and to my delight in less than half an hour the little patient was breathing easily. The doctor said that the CHERRY PECTORAL had saved my darling's life. Can you wonder at our gratitude? Sincerely yours, MRS. EMMA DEWEY"

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Oakes Crystal, Minn., March 11, 1882

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Try Athlophoros

If you cannot get ATHLOPHOROS of your druggist, we will send it carriage paid on receipt of regular price—one dollar per bottle We prefer that you buy it from your druggist but if he hasn't it do not be persuaded to try something else, but order at once from us as directed.

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Jan. 29—deod&wly

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Cheap Rates West

F. L. Wood and N. Allison, land excursion agents, whose office is at No 155 Merchant street, will manage excursion parties over the Peoria, Decatur & Evansville Railway on March 18th, and every two weeks thereafter, round trip tickets good for forty days. Parties desiring to go to either Kansas or Nebraska, will do well to confer with Wood and Allison. They will furnish, free of charge, reliable information about the west. Thomas Pontwell, passenger agent for the same road, has an office with Wood & Allison. March 1—d&wtf

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Can any one bring us a case of Kidney or Liver Complaint that Electric Bitters will not speedily cure? We say they can not, as thousands of cases already permanently cured and who are daily recommending Electric Bitters, will prove. Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Weak Back, or any urinary complaint quickly cured. They purify the blood, regulate the bowels and act directly on the diseased parts. Every bottle guaranteed. For sale at 50 cents a bottle by Swearingen & Hubbard. a1

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In the Masonic Temple block Mrs. K. Einstein has returned and can now be found in the Masonic block, with the handsomest stock of Millinery ever brought to Decatur. Also a full line of Notions, Ladies and Children's Muslin Underwear, Dresses and Cloaks. With prices lower than any house in the city will offer, I extend an invitation to the ladies of the city as well as of the country, especially our old customers who have formerly patronized us so liberally, to come and see me. I have a first-class trimmer from Chicago, and will endeavor to please you all. jan4-d&wtf

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The 50 cent Jeans Pants at B. Stine's. dtf

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The fact that Linn & Scruggs have a large and handsome stock of Wall-Paper cheaper than you can buy anywhere. March 22-dawtf

You ask where I got my nobby new carpet, said a lady one pleasant day so you may get you a similar one. To make your room look gay I'll tell you, my friend, and not charge you a cent. If you want to buy cheap or fine Abel & Locke's, on East Main street, is the place to go, to make room in splendor shine. may19dtf

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A Pertinent Question Which a Priest Asked

Some years ago the world renowned Sam Ward was in the city of New York with a friend whom he had known for many years. They were stopping at the New York Hotel. The friend fell sick. One night the doctor said he must die that he could do no more for him. Ward sat up with his friend to watch his life go out. At 4 30 o'clock in the morning his friend was very low. He said to Ward "Will you please send for a priest?" Ward had never heard that his friend was religious and had not the remotest idea that he was a Roman Catholic. But of course he asked no questions. He rushed out of the hotel and round the corner where a neighboring priest's house was pointed out to him. Entering he found the priest dressed ready to attend early mass. He said to him in a bland suave, deferential way "Father, there is a friend of mine lying at the point of death at the New York Hotel, and in his extremity he desires the presence of a Catholic priest. Can you come with me and go to him?" The priest looked at him gravely, and then said "Is he an Irishman?" Ward replied "No he is an American." "I will come with you at once," said the priest putting on his hat and coat quickly and the two walked out. Ward was very curious to understand the reason of the question. He kept turning it over in his mind as they went along and finally just before they entered the hotel he said "Father, if you do not regard it as an impertinent curiosity I would like to ask why you wanted to know whether my friend was an Irishman or an American?" "Simply enough," said the priest, with a smile, "if he had been an Irishman I should have taken my breakfast before going with you, for an Irishman with the bellyache is always at the point of death and wants to see a priest, but an American never wants for one unless he is really in the last extremity.—*Cor Savannah News*

—Oscar Clark, a recently medical graduate, went to St Paul where, failing to get to any practice, he went to sawing wood. When that gave out he found himself penniless, and in the presence of his family, he cut an artery and bled to death in a few minutes.—*Minneapolis Tribune.*

—A lady at Morrilton Ark., is the lively widow of eleven husbands. The eligible bachelors of that town think seriously of fleeing to the North.—*Chicago Journal*

White Mountains and Sea Shore Excursion

Probably one of the grandest trips in this or any other country, to be taken during the summer season, is the one annually given by the Grand Trunk Railway from Detroit to the White Mountains and the Sea Shore. The route is via Port Huron, Stratford and Toronto. At Kingston the cars are exchanged for one of the elegant steamers of the Richelieu Line, giving the excursion party an all day ride down the beautiful River St. Lawrence, through the Thousands Islands and rapids, passing under Victoria Bridge by daylight, one of the longest bridges in the world, arriving at Montreal in time for supper on the evening of the second day after leaving Detroit. The White Mountains are reached the next morning, and the sea shore (Portland, Me.) in the evening.

This is the eighth season of these popular excursions given by the Grand Trunk, and already the indications point towards being even more successful in way of numbers than either of the tours given in previous years. The fare has been placed at $22 for the round trip, embracing Niagara Falls, Toronto, River St. Lawrence, Montreal, Quebec, White Mountains, and the sea shore (Portland, Me.), a distance of over 2,200 miles.

These excursions are patronized by the best classes of society from all over the West and South, and are looked upon as being indispensable in order to cover the summer vacation. The Grand Trunk people were the first to inaugurate these popular excursions, their line extending from Detroit to the sea-side (Portland, Me.), placing them in a position to offer an exceptionally low rate, which is made annually for these grand tours. The first excursion tour of this season will leave Detroit on Thursday, June 26th, at 9 a. m., by special train of Pullman Palace cars and elegant new day coaches. The second and third excursions, on July 10th and 24th. The fare for two persons in Pullman Car from Detroit to the White Mountains has been placed at $60. Reduced rates have been arranged for at all the prominent hotels en route.

Some people imagine that none but the wealthy can afford to take these trips. This idea is founded in error. It costs no more to spend a week at the sea side on one of these round trips than it does in any first class hotel in our city. Many people make the round trip every year at an expense of $44, which includes railroad fare, sleeping cars, carriages and hotels. This year Mr Wm Robinson, the Company's Western Passenger Agent, will accompany each trip and look after the comfort of the tourists. Any person desiring or contemplating a trip this season should write to Mr Robinson, at Detroit, and secure one of his pamphlets, which he furnishes applicants free of charge.

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The London *Queen* and London *Well Dress Journal* say

This silk gives every satisfaction, both as to richness, durability and price, it being a special make, free from deleterious compositions.

Messrs Tapissier Freres will replace any length complained of as not fulfilling the advantages claimed. Demand with each purchase the blue ticket guarantee. For sale by LINN & SCRUGGS. April 9—d&wtf

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The warm weather is at hand, and now you want pure crystal ice left at your doors to give you comfort and make you cool in the heat of summer. D A Mallt, who has two wagons that make regular rounds, is ready to supply the people every day in quantities to suit, at the lowest ruling rates. Mr Mallt has a splendid supply of pure ice. Leave your orders with him. His telephone is 100. All orders filled promptly. m5 dtf

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Sealed Proposals.

Sealed proposals will be received by the directors of the Macon Masonic Building Association until 12 o'clock noon of Monday, June 23, 1884, for the erection of a building 74 feet front, by 90 feet deep, two stories high. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of E. J. Carter, Secretary of the Association.

Bids may be made for the entire building, or for any part of the same, but the directors reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

Excavation for foundation will be made, and brick and rubble stone for the building will be furnished on the ground by the Association.

Bonds will be required for the faithful completion of the contract, the building to be completed and ready for occupancy by the first day of December, A. D. 1884.

WM. M. PHARES, President of the Macon Masonic Building Ass'n

June 11—d&w2w*

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These Screens are placed in a groove on the inside of the window, instead of being on the outside. They have two springs attached which holds them at any height. They can be placed at the top or bottom of the window, to keep out the flies as desired.

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County,

Macon County Circuit Court

Walker Bros. & Co. vs. James D Nelms and Sallie L Nelms—Chancery. Case No 11,467.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said Court at the December Term, A D 1883, I, John A Brown, Master in Chancery for said Court, on *Saturday, the 21st day of June, A D. 1884,* at the hour of two o'clock p m of said day, shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash at the west door of the Court House in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate, situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to wit A plat of land commencing at a point nine hundred and seventy two and a half (972½) feet west of south of the half section line running through section eight (8), township fourteen (14), range two (2) east of the third principal meridian, and two hundred and forty-eight and a half (248½) feet west from the Illinois Central Railroad, thence running east of north one hundred and fifty (150) feet, thence running east one hundred and twenty three and a half (123½) feet, thence running west of south (parallel with the Illinois Central Railroad) one hundred and fifty (150) feet and thence running west one hundred and twenty three and a half (123½) feet to the place of beginning with the one and a half story frame dwelling house and other erections thereon, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

Decatur, Illinois, 8th of May, 1884

JOHN A. BROWN,

Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill.

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May 11—d1w

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453 Fine Worsted Dress Suits in Prince Albert and Four Button Cutaway Styles. Among this lot not one worth less than $22.50. Our price $11 25

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Heavy Overalls and Waists at 25c, sold elsewhere at 75c.
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